

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PATENT
APPLICATION

Inventor(s): Ishii et al
 Appln. No.: 09 | 172,263
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Group Art Unit 2873
 Examiner: Spector
 Atty. Dkt. PM 256389 | OL76i398N-US
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 Asst. Commissioner of Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

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Appln. Title: ZOOM LENS SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

Date: November 3, 1999

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FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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2. Total Effective Claims	46	**minus	39	7	x \$18/\$9 =	+ 126	103/203
3. Independent Claims	16	***minus	16	0	x \$78/\$39 =	+ 0	102/202
4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)				add	+ \$260/\$130 =	+ 0	104/204
5. Original due Date: November 3, 1999	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE						
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached		(1 mo)	\$110/\$55 =				115/215
		(2 mos)	\$380/\$190 =				116/216
		(3 mos)	\$870/\$435 =				117/217
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract			-				
8.				Extension Fee Attached	+ 0		
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee				+ \$110/\$55 =	+ 0		148/248
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee,	add			+ \$240 =		+ 0	126
or if Rule 97(d) Petition				+ \$130 =			122
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r)				+ \$760/380 =	+ 0		146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b)				x \$760/380 ea =	+ 0		149/249
13. Petition fee for						+	
14.				TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =		\$126	

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated August 3, 1999, the following amendments and remarks are made.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows.

Page 1, before line 5, insert on a separate line:

--1. Field of the Invention--;

before line 9, insert on a separate line:

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